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Christmas trees,
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sweet potatoes, wreaths

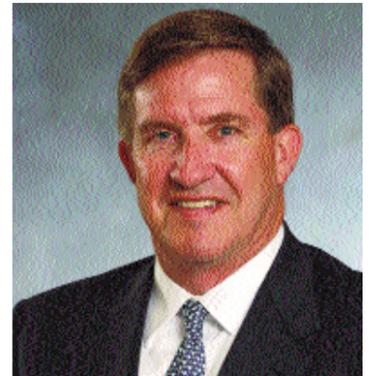
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Santa Visits Country Christmas on December 4th



Staff photo

Each year the SC Department of Agriculture hosts Country Christmas at the State Farmer's Market. Families come out to select Christmas trees, buy items from local vendors, and enjoy crafts with the kids. Santa invited children to have their pictures made with him on his sleigh.



Hugh E. Weathers
Commissioner

Christmases Past and Future

By Blanche Weathers

Hugh and I have enjoyed reminiscing about some of our Christmases Past. The year the boys participated in the live nativity at our church was pretty authentic, since Bowman children are handy with bales of hay and real cows.

Probably our favorite Christmas card was a picture of Gill, 4, and Edward, 2, dressed in shepherds' costumes made from towels and twine. They were standing in the chicken coop with long sticks in their hands and chickens all about their feet. The caption read, "Keeping Watch Over Their Flock."

And then there was the year we threw a birthday party for Jesus in the hay barn. One of our friends showed up with a gift for the birthday boy. We all had a good laugh because she thought I had said we were having a party for Julius. She was surprised and Julius was delighted to get Jesus' present!

This year we look ahead to Christmases Future as we begin new traditions with our beautiful 5-month-old granddaughter, Clara Elizabeth Weathers. How much fun it will be to share the wonder of Christmas with her! I can already imagine her little face when we attend the Christmas Eve candlelight service. As Hugh sings "O Holy Night," Clara will watch the flame pass from candle to candle, filling the sanctuary with the warm glow of Christmas love.

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Past and Future**,
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Adam Keith's poultry farm in York County is a growing contributor to South Carolina's agribusiness industry. This first generation farmer stands beside one of his 11 poultry houses with his wife Jessica and infant son Sawyer.

Young Poultry Farmer Trying His Best to Survive

Story and photos by Cindy Thompson,
Staff Writer

Behind a serene backdrop of pastures, fields and barns, humble, determined farmers work from sun up to sun down in all kinds of weather to provide food, clothes and shelter for people near and far.

York County farmer Adam Keith didn't grow up on a farm, but he always knew that being a farmer was his calling. He and his younger brother raised cattle for a few years, then the poultry business caught his attention. Adam

sold just about everything he owned to start a poultry farm on the outskirts of the quaint town of Sharon.

Newly married, Adam and his wife Jessica started their lives together running 11 turkey houses. His parents Mark and Ann helped. As his poultry business began to grow, so did Adam's family. When their son Sawyer was born, there was an even greater reason to make the turkey farm successful.

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Holiday Ad Deadline

Ad deadline for the January 7, 2016 issue will be Noon on December 22.

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Aquaculture

CRAPPIE, 50¢-\$2; Shad, 50¢-\$3; Bluegill Bream, 30¢-\$3; Catfish, 50¢-\$3; Bass, \$1.50-\$2. Cannon Taylor; Newberry; 803-276-0853

STERILE GRASS CARP, 8-10in, \$12ea; 12in+, \$15ea; red breast bream, 40¢ea; mosquito fish, \$20/100; more. Clay Chappell; Richland; 803-776-4923

STERILE GRASS CARP, 12-14in, \$11ea. Perry Price, Lexington, 803-356-3403

BLUEGILL, 35¢+; Sterile Grass Carp, \$10+; Largemouth, \$1.50+; Shad, \$30/lb; Catfish, 50¢+, p-up or del. Derek Long; Newberry; 803-276-2070

Cattle

ABBA BRAHMAN BULLS, 8mo-breeding age, exc b'line All Hands On, gentle, \$1500-2500. James Brannan; Greenville; 864-505-6094

14 PB & CB BLK ANG HEIFERS, all natural grass fed, no hormones, 6-9m/o, \$1200ea. Hack Bartley; Greenwood; 864-229-1032

SIMANG & SIMM BULLS, yr/rg, blk, baldies & red, all AI breeding, \$2000+. Jim Rathwell; Pickens; 864-868-9851

2 COW/CALF PRS, 1st calf heifer, w/steer calf, B-10/3; 8y/o cow, w/steer calf, B-11/5, \$1800/pr. Henry Mitchell; York; 803-627-6142

REG BLK ANG HEIFER, B-12/6/14; PB Blk Ang bull, B-12-16/15, \$1500ea. Edward Bell; Williamsburg; 843-933-0589

2 BELTED GALLOWAY BULLS, FB, registerable, good conformation, 2½y/o, \$1000; long yr/rg, \$800. Carol Ann Burns; Laurens; 864-923-6160

JERSEY MILK COW, w/half Angus heifer calf & Jersey bull calf, 1m/o, \$1500. Michael Dopson, Colleton, 843-562-7132

PB SG BULL, scurried out of Geronimo #1120819, 2000lbs, \$3000. Curtis Hipp; Spartanburg; 864-230-1983

HEREFORD BULLS, 12m/o, red/wht face, \$1200. Billy Gallman; Newberry; 803-276-7171

2 JERSEY COWS, both w/2nd calf, \$1800ea. Mac McClendon; Colleton; 843-835-5050

REG ANG BULLS, 15-19m/o, w/low BWs, AI sired by Final Answer, Sitz Upward & Bushwacker, \$3000up. Rick Outen, Chesterfield, 843-337-1355

RED ANG BULLS, reg, sired by Epic, Mission Statement, Redemption & Jack Hammer, passed BSE, \$2700up. Larry Cantrell; Oconee; 864-314-7619

REG ANG BULLS, forage based, Fescue resistant, slick, good feet, gentle, current BSE, CE or growth, \$2750up. Eddie Martin; Anderson; 864-296-0454

SCOTCH HIGHLAND CALVES, reg, B-7/15, 1M, \$1000; 1F, \$1200. Wayne Krause; Greenville; 864-663-9443

6 BLK ANG PB HEIFERS, 10-11m/o, weaned, vac, \$1700ea or all for \$9500. William Cash; Spartanburg; 864-346-3098

REG BLK ANG BULLS, B-1/15, Sires 10 X & Final Answer, \$1800ea. Chris Edlund; Spartanburg; 864-706-5776

REG BLK GELB BULLS, 12-21m/o, easy calving, passed BSE, good dispo, AI sired, \$2400+. Virgil Wall; Greenwood; 864-942-2380

GELBIEH ANG CROSS BULL, 10m/o, out of Black Crest Farm bred cow, \$1200. Kathy Reeves; Dorchester; 843-560-0707

12 REG ANG BULLS, 2y/o sired by Final Answer, Right Time, OCC Juneau f/Donor Dams, good feet, low BWs, \$4000up. Dixon Shealy; Newberry; 803-629-1174

6 COWS & CALF PRS, cows breed back 4-6mon, \$1500up. Harley Neelands; York; 803-684-3672

RED POLL, w/6m/o heifer calf, bred back to Blk Ang bull, \$1800. Mike Buck; Saluda; 864-445-7399

PB SIMM HEIFERS, B-9-11/14, 2 reds, 1 blk, EC, ex replacements, \$1700-1900. Jesse Fletcher; Spartanburg; 864-895-3670

REG BLK ANG YRLG BULLS, sired by SAV Brand Name & Hoover Dam, \$1600-2000ea; 7 heifers, \$1500ea. David Gibbons; Cherokee; 864-839-6705

BULL CALF, 10m/o, PB, Folken Farms b'line, exc Hereford markings & color, \$1200. John Gossett; Spartanburg; 803-222-7786

BLK ANG BULLS, reg, weaning age, Hoover Dam, Final Answer, ease calving, \$1300ea. Jack Whitaker; York; 803-925-2129

REG BLK ANG BULLS & HEIFERS, by Yon Legend & Clemson sires, BSE, shots, docile, \$1650-3000. Bobby Baker; Lancaster; 803-285-7732

SIMANG BULL, yr/rg, B-10/29/14, sire-Sure Bet Son, Dam-Boyd on Target daughter, \$2400. Bobby Steading; Spartanburg; 864-585-0587

BLK BRANGUS BULLS, reg, 15m/o, calving ease, good dispo, \$1500up. David Chassereau; Bamberg; 803-267-4880

2 CHAR BULLS, 13m/o, \$2000up; 5 Char heifers, 11m/o, \$1600ea, good b'lines. Lewis Killian; York; 704-460-8780

Dogs

A copy of current Rabies Vaccination Certificate signed by a licensed veterinarian must be presented with the ad for dogs 12 weeks or older. Dogs under 12 weeks must include date of birth. Dog kennel/breeder ads are not accepted. Only dogs-for-sale notices will be published. Dog notices are lower priority and will be published as space permits.

GREAT PYRENEES, B-11/13, ready 12/25, \$200ea. Brad Outlaw; Darlington; 843-332-6869

YELLOW LABS, PB, B-11/16, ready for 12/25, M/F, \$200ea. Mike Dipner; Newberry; 803-271-3006

REG G R ENGLISH SETTERS, B-9/5, tricolored, blk/wht, 2M, \$300ea. Sid Smith; Sumter; 803-491-8536

GREAT PYRENEES, reg, B-9/7, shots, wormed, \$300. Glynn Ferguson; Aiken; 803-226-6165

REDBONE HOUND DOGS, B-2/12, 9m/o, UKC reg, all shots incl rabies, \$150ea, 1M, 1F. Glen Wessinger; Richland; 803-309-0860

TREEING FEISTS, reg, B-10/29, \$200ea. Gene Schofield, Fairfield, 803-337-8850

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MILLCREEK MANURE SPREADER, use for 1-2 stalls, ground driven, \$650. Brenda Baldwin; Richland; 803-429-4116

'14 NH WORK MASTER 75, w/ldr & canopy, 360hrs, under warranty, can deliver, \$23,000. David Ridgeway; Aiken; 803-507-2480

21FT CHAIN CONVEYOR, used to transfer hay, from truck to barn loft, w/elec motor, \$400. Ralph Gravley; Greenville; 864-895-1250

JD 700 A HIGH BOY, gas, stainless tank, new front tire, 12 row boom, \$1000obo. Josh Johnson; Calhoun; 803-682-6040

'99 ADAMS TRL, BP, SL, 7ft8inT, \$3500. Brandi Davis; Laurens; 864-871-0574

GN TRL, 12,000lb GVW, 20ft w/4ft beaver tail, 4ft removable sides, LN, \$3750. Bill Adams; Aiken; 803-642-6312

1620 CASE COMBINE, 16½ft, 1020 header, \$10,000. Jimmy Heath; Aiken; 803-645-3232

TRL, HD, 16ft, Tandem axle, good tires, \$1500. Jefferson Stephens; Richland; 803-736-1191

'65 INT CUB, new frt tires, w/cult, \$3500; 3 drag disc harrows, 1 dbl row, more, \$250ea; \$600 for all; more. Doug Holcombe; Greenville; 864-263-8301

BUSH HOG NO TILL DRILL, 8ft, 7½in spacing, GC, \$5500; Ford ldr FL 46, \$1200. Mike Allen; Chester; 803-493-4757

TRL, 4ftx10ft, tandem axles, all metal incl top, for hauling hogs, pigs & cows, dbl rear gates, \$400. Gerald Bradley; Greenville; 864-877-5786

COMBINE DUALS, Unverferth w/18.4 x 38 tires, for Case IH 2388 combine, \$4800. John Brailsford; Orangeburg; 803-707-9083

STOLL GN FLATBED TRL, 20ft plus 4ft dovetail, dual jacks, tool box, 3 ramps, tie downs, \$4500. Thomas Suttles; Abbeville; 864-296-5298

JD 4230, open station, GC, \$12,500; Marliss 3ph no till grain drill, \$3500. Kevin Judy; Dorchester; 803-600-3533

'02 HORTON GN CARGO TRL, 20ft, 5th whl. \$3500obo. Dwight Faulling; Calhoun; 803-206-3723

MF 20 DISC HARROW, \$900; MF 7 shank scarifier, \$400; 6ft scrape blade bush hog turn & angle, \$450; all 3ph. Rickie Evans; Chester; 803-209-2714

JD 55 COMBINE, VGC, field ready, shed kept, 2r corn hd, 13ft grain hd, can deliver, \$3450. David Gantt; Kershaw; 803-600-8740

FORD 917 FRAIL MOWER, \$1750; Dearborn twin disk tiller plow, \$450. Randall Nichols; Spartanburg; 864-230-1554

'49 AC B, needs restoration, more, \$1200obo. H Flinkingshelt; Greenville; 864-901-8670

830 CATERPILLAR BULL-DOZER, 325hp, w/big tires & pan, \$12,000obo. Elihu Wigington; Anderson; 864-859-2692

TYE GRAIN DRILL, 5ft no-till 3pt w/sm seeder in VGC, \$6000. Rowland Alston; Sumter; 803-491-7180

UTILITY TRL, 6x12ft, 18in sides, wood floor, 3 new 15in tires, 8 tie downs, alum tool box, load ramp, \$1250. Cornelius Clark; Berkeley; 843-761-2343

'52 JD MT TRACTOR, mechanically GC, good tires, new brakes & starter, rebuilt carb, does not burn oil, \$2100. Billy Gallman; Newberry; 803-276-7171

256 NH HAY RAKE, \$250; Apache 3ph brush grinder, \$150; 5ft Bush hog, LMC 5-40, \$400. Whetsel Williams; Orangeburg; 803-536-3067

23 FIELD/STORAGE VEGETABLE BOXES, 1000lb, \$35ea. John Mahon; Chesterfield; 843-910-7352

FORD 1520 TRACTOR, 2wd, w/Bush Hog brand finishing mower, \$5500; '99 NH 555-E backhoe, more, \$15,500; more. Ronnie Murphy; Fairfield; 803-337-3697

ST 2020, D2050 Mitsubishi dsl 2 whl dr, box blade, disk, auger, 16ft trl, \$5500. Gary Moore; Lexington; 803-413-5516

NI 323, picker on row, GC, new finger on spare parts, \$2600. Louis Tumbleston; Charleston; 843-371-0708

JD 4020, dsl, creeper gear, new ISO hyd, 3ph, dash control, 85hp, runs good, \$9500. Clarence Criswell; Darlington; 843-326-5061

51 H FA TRACTOR, good tires, pull type bush hog, solid rubber whls, GC, \$1500 both. Bobby Childress; Anderson; 864-845-6238

NH 273 SQ BALER, \$2800; NH 57 3ph hay rake, \$1000. James McMackin; York; 803-230-1337

'93 3H GN CHAPPERELL, 6½ftT, 6ftW, 25ftL, 18ft box, new tires & floor, \$5800. Jimmy Black; Barnwell; 803-259-3054

'07 NH TT60 TRACTOR, 4wd, \$14,000, 1 owner, shed kept, GC, 1600hrs. Wayne Goude; Georgetown; 843-558-7150

FA CUB TRACTOR, w/plows, GC, \$1600. Randy Pettigrew; Anderson; 864-934-1843

JD 9976 COTTON PICKER, 2200 fan hrs, 4wd, \$65,000obo; JD 6500 sprayer, 3000hrs, wide frt, \$30,000obo. Danny McAlhaney; Bamberg; 803-793-7095

HUDSON TILT EQUIP TRL, 14 ton, \$4500; KMC 7 shank notill vripper, EC, \$3500. Jeffrey Gilmore; Chesterfield; 843-517-0315

9986 COTTON PICKER, 6r, 4wd, field ready, \$75,000. Greg Reeves; Dorchester; 843-560-1660

FA 460 TRACTOR, w/tricycle frt end, 6 cyl gas w/2pt fast hitch, \$2500. Cecil Hooks; Marion; 843-430-4906

CHANCEY LOBOY, 35 ton, trl grader ramps, \$5500; Stoll 24ft GN trl, Tandem duals, \$4500. Randy Lowe; McCormick; 864-391-2243

TONUTTI 10 WHL HAY RAKE, GC, \$2800; Krone disc mower, GC, \$3800. Chris Minton; Anderson; 864-617-4936

2H TRL, 16ft, full swing half slide rear dr, curbside dr, Big Valley, \$3200. Carl Jordan; Lexington; 803-359-3822

'50 FA CUB TRACTOR, w/cultiv & belly mower, runs good, needs clutch, \$2000. Thurman Anderson; Spartanburg; 864-542-2245

TRL, flatbed, GN, tandem axles, dual whls, 22ft bed, 4 ft flip ramp, EC, \$5800cash. Jesse Fletcher; Spartanburg; 864-895-3670

CASE 580K BACKHOE, 2WD, new hoses, rebuilt cylinders, good tires, clean tight unit, easy start, \$14,000obo. Alan Hunt; Abbeville; 864-353-2898

'60 JD 730, dsl, ES, Roll-O-Matic, 3ph, PS, painted, fenders, rebuilt engine, show type classic, \$18,000obo. Douglass Britt; McCormick; 864-391-3334

JD MODEL 620, gas, refurbished, tricycle frt end, PS, Roll-o-matic, \$5000. Jacob Black; Laurens; 864-981-2005

6FT HICO BUSH HOG, 3pt, GC, \$700; 3pt barrel carrier, \$100; 3pt tool bar cult. \$300. George Schwab; York; 803-493-8021

JD 444 CORN HEADER, \$2500; JD 454A row crop header, \$2000. Roger Waltz; Bamberg; 843-908-2312

D-15 AC, EC, gas, tricycle frt end, \$3200. Mark Yonce; Spartanburg; 864-473-0253

GRAVITY WAGON BODY, solid, \$600; arena rake, 6ftW w/leveling roller, \$800. Kathy Reeves; Dorchester; 843-560-0707

'56 JD 420 TRACTOR, restored, new tires, parade or field ready, tricycle frt end, EC, \$4700. Larry Brede; Aiken; 803-439-2130

730 JD, 2cyl, pony start, both engines EC, almost new rubber, \$13,500. William McClellan; Anderson; 864-847-7900

'07 FRONTIER DH3299, offset disc, 3ph, 8ft4in working width, 22 disc 9in spaced, 20in dia, low use, \$2500. Justin Howe; Newberry; 803-944-1065

720 JD LDR I, GC w/Quick attach mounting brackets, \$5000obro. Rodney Murdaugh; Colleton; 843-893-7296

'03 FORD F350, super duty truck, 7.3 power stroke dsl, runs good, \$5000. Brian Gibert; Greenwood; 864-980-6408

LILLISTON 9680, no-till drill, \$7000. Martin Turner; Greenwood; 864-227-8544

IH 1020 HEADER AUGER, 15ft, LN, \$850. Charles Nichols; Saluda; 864-445-8350

WOODS #59 BELLY MOWER, 5ft cut, EC, fits FA Super A through FA 140, \$750. Jason Nichols; Saluda; 864-538-8163

MF 1135, cab tractor, no hrs on rebuilt motor, \$13,500; AC Rollo bar rake, \$800. Jimmy Collier; McCormick; 864-443-2681

108 GIS GRAIN DRYER, \$10,000. Andrew Carter; Bamberg; 803-267-2321

140 FA, field ready, \$3500; JD 613, 5ft rotary cutter, \$800; Bush Hog post hole digger, \$1000. Chris Johnson; Aiken; 803-640-2734

Farm Labor

PECANS, shelled & air blown, \$7/bushel. A Horne; Horry; 843-756-0104

DOZIER & TRACKHOE WORK, build & repair ponds, demolition, tree removal, grade & clear land, repair rds, free est. J Hughes; Greenwood; 864-227-8257

POND CONSTRUCTION, any Bull Dozer job, food plots, roads, clearing, etc. Cannon Taylor; Newberry; 803-276-0853

RIDING LESSONS, quality horse boarding, birthday pony parties. Sandra Hammond; York; 803-684-2722

BERMUDA GRASS SPRIGS, planted w/8ft Bermuda King grass planters, w/3000lb roller, Coastal, Tifton 85. Joe Gallagher; Allendale; 803-686-0694

POND WORK, lime, fert, pond mgmt. David Burnside; Richland; 803-776-4923

TRACTOR RESTORATION, paint, pressure wash, mechanic & radiator work on any tractor or hvy equip; welding, more. Billy Gallman; Newberry; 803-276-7171

STATEWIDE FENCER, specializing in NZ Hi Tensil elec, hog wire, barb, etc, hyd post driver, 25yrs exp. Richard Crow; Abbeville; 864-554-1107

NEW FENCES BUILT, or fences repaired, all kinds, good prices. Grady Berry; Saluda; 803-480-7894

LEXCO TACK CLEANING, leather, bridles, saddles, harnesses, your place or mine, qty disc. Laurie Knapp; Lexington; 803-317-7613

PECANS, cracked & shelled, \$60¢/lb. Laverne Simons; Lexington; 803-894-3528

CATTLE SERVICES, penning, catching & hauling, portable corral avail, more. Ashley Rankin; Saluda; 864-993-6770

CUSTOMER PLANT, Bermuda Grass Coastal, Tifton 44 & 85 avail, plant any size, statewide. Johnnie Burkett; Aiken; 803-924-5736

TRACTOR REPAIR, restoration, all types, 50yr exp. George Bush; Lexington; 803-640-1949

POLE BARNs, custom barns, working pens & all types of fences, grading work & hauling stone. Chad Malone; York; 803-230-3827

CATTLE SERVICES, catch, pen, freeze branding & hauling, find & catch wild cattle, mobile hvy catch pens, more. Brian Gibert; Greenwood; 864-980-6408

LIME SPREADING, specialize in bulk Tennessee lime, call for estimate. Drake Kinley; Anderson; 864-353-9628

Farm Land

Ads for each tract must be 5 acres or more, stating that it is under cultivation, timber or pasture, including a written statement stating "This Acreage/Land is my personal property." Ads from real estate agents are not accepted, unless property is personally owned.

WANT 5A PASTURE, to rent/buy for horses w/in 25min of Columbia, unimproved OK, water, shed a +. Jenny Pournelle; Lexington; 803-873-4918

9A, pasture, Greenwood Co, \$7000/A. Sandy Byrd; Edgefield; 803-480-2560

58.13A, pasture, cropland, timber, pond, facing paved rd 300, adj to Hwy 41 in Lakeview, \$3000/A. Edith Rogers, Florence, 843-665-6715

142A, Laurens Co, wooded, PW, streams, food plots, \$2700/A, Cross Hill, 1hr of Greenville. Andy Parnell; Greenville; 864-360-1370

164A, w/20A hay field, equestrian cut, bldg sites, out buildings, \$3000/A. Charlie Jackson; Aiken; 678-910-0561

10+A FOR LEASE, for planting, Upper Abbeville Co, near Antreville on Bell Rd, reasonably priced. Vance Clinkscales; Anderson; 864-225-6084

79A, Fairfield Co, w/20A lake, incl 60A planted pines thinned, hunting, \$3400/A. Mark Schimmoeller; Richland; 803-609-0559

20-50/A, near Honea Path, fenced pastures, woods, stream, \$7500/A. Philip Wigger, Abbeville, 864-369-7375

41.37A TRACT, ½ cleared, ½ in planted pine rees, \$155,000. James Bradberry; Abbeville; 864-446-2744

21A, wooded, creek, on Lake Russell, hunting, fishing, possible owner financing, \$130,000. Shirley Huston; Abbeville; 803-917-9665

Fresh Produce

STUART PECANS, in-shell, \$2/lb. Linda Smith; Lexington; 803-622-8581

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKES, 10lb box, shipped, \$48; you p-up, \$36. Lyman Fogle; Orangeburg; 803-247-2098

PECANS, shelled \$6.50/lb, \$6/lb for 10 lbs or more; in-shell, \$2.50/lb. Russell Shealy; Newberry; 803-944-7316

WALNUTS, 2015 crop, \$8.50/lb, we ship, clean. Karen Barbary; Union; 864-215-3215

FRESH DUCK EGGS, \$3/dz. Heather Ford; York; 803-548-0572

PECANS, \$6.50/lb, plus shipping. A Horne; Horry; 843-756-0104

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKES, \$12/peck or \$48/bushel. Mike Edwards; Orangeburg; 803-664-0249

FRESH COLLARDS, \$2; Fresh Broccoli, \$1.50/lb. Roy Estridge; Anderson; 864-296-0431

Garden Plants

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BLUEBERRY, Saw tooth oak, English lily, chick saw plum, muscadine perfect flower grape plants, 5gal pots, \$10ea. Francis Shiver; Kershaw; 803-432-5206

POMEGRANATES, turkey fig, lemon fig, grapevines, \$10up. Cornelius Clark; Berkeley; 843-761-2343

BLUEBERRY PLANTS, Tame thornless blackberry, purple Muscadines, Cherry Hedge, plum trees, all in pots, \$5-10. Hazel Bridges; Greenville; 864-879-3384

RABBITEYE BLUEBERRY PLANTS, \$2ea; 15 min ship + \$9 postage; grapevines, \$3ea. Billy Eddins; Chesterfield; 843-623-2427

Goats, Llamas & Sheep

FB BOER BUCKS, \$200ea; FB Boer doe, \$200; all 2½m/o. Kathy DeLong-Anson; Lexington; 803-582-8272

3 M GOATS, ½ Boar ½ Kiko, 6m/o, \$150ea. Ralph Gravley; Greenville; 864-895-1250

KIDS, ½ Boer ½ Nubian & Alpine, 6-10w/o 12/20, M/\$100, F/\$125ea. Philip Poole; Union; 864-427-1589

RBOER / ALPINE CROSSED BILLY, butt head, y/o, \$150. L Gunter; Lexington; 803-532-7394

3 NIGERIAN DWARF PIGMY GOATS, tame, withered, 6m/o, \$200ea, 3 for \$175ea. Walt Teachman; Anderson; 864-356-1933

NIGERIAN DWARF BUCKS, reg, weaning age, \$350-500, exc b'lines, Promiseland, Twincreaks, more; mature does, \$350up. Mark Yonce; Spartanburg; 864-473-0253

3 M GOATS, B-spring of '15, \$200 for all. Charles Tucker; Kershaw; 803-788-3242

ST CROIX RAMS SHEEP, B-5/15, \$150. Sam Rikard; Lexington; 803-892-2630

EG 100% KIKO BILLY, DNA parent verified, dbl bred Sports Kat, B-4/14/14, \$500. Willis Hill; Florence; 843-206-7552

MERINO FINE WOOL SHEEP, 4 ewe lambs, \$200ea; 1 blk ram, b award winner, \$350. K Koven; Edgefield; 509-554-1862

Hay & Grain

'15 CB, HQ, sq, good \$6; exc \$7, fert to Clemson specs, w/o rain, barn stored, no del. Louise Pollans; Orangeburg; 803-533-1763

COASTAL, 4x5 rnd, net wrap, cow hay, \$40. Andrew Rice; Allendale; 803-686-1208

FESCUE & ORCHARD GRASS, Co Bermuda hay, 1st quality, sq, \$5-6ea, barn; 4x5 fescue, \$40-45ea. Charles Burnette; Greenville; 864-877-5331

'15 CB, HQ, \$6/sq, barn; HQ '15 4x5 rnd, net wrap, field, \$60. Don Gregory; Aiken; 803-652-2626

WHEAT STRAW, sq, \$3.50ea. Larry McCartha; Lexington; 803-606-2499

OATS, \$40/barrel; \$5/bushel; Richard Knight; Kershaw; 803-427-6440

'15 CB, HQ, sq, \$6; rye straw, sq, \$3.50. Clayton Leaphart; Lexington; 803-892-2642

'15 FESCUE, 4x5 rnd, barn kept, \$30. C Smith; Anderson; 864-353-1819

CQ HAY, fert & baled w/rain, 4x5, \$40, del avail for fee. Gene Fickling; Barnwell; 803-259-8588

'15 CB, rnd, stored inside, \$40. T Culick; Williamsburg; 843-382-8550

'15 CB, lrg rnd, \$50; sq, \$6. Norman Nettles; Barnwell; 803-571-0092

'15 BAHIA, 4x5, net wrap, lime, fert, baled dry, \$40. Will Tuten; Colleton; 843-908-3474

'15 CB, HQ, sq, \$6, 4x5 rnd, \$55, all barn or shed stored. Bill Fulmer; Lexington; 803-730-3113

'15 FESCUE, \$39; CB, \$35; goat hay, \$20; all no rain lrg 4x5. Curtis Coffey; Greenwood; 864-993-0944

CB, 4x5 rnd, '14-\$30; '15-\$50, near Ehrhardt. Josiah Williams; Bamberg; 843-693-1970

SHELLED DEER CORN, bulk or 1 bushel bags, \$6/bu. Terry Eades; Marlboro; 843-528-0002

FESCUE, 100 sq, \$4ea. Charles Shook; Oconee; 864-314-4754

PREM HORSE HAY, Orchard Timothy, Orchard Alfalfa, Alfalfa, 55+ lbs, stand sq, \$11up. Jerry Raines; Spartanburg; 864-909-1538

FRESH CB, HQ, proper lime, fert, quality guaranteed, rnd, \$60. Theresa Kirchner; Aiken; 803-641-1476

'15 CB, 4x5 rnd, cow quality, \$35ea; horse qual, \$45ea, shed kept, no rain, del avail. Gary Blackmon; Richland; 803-212-5697

WHEAT STRAW, \$3.50/bale; CB, \$45/rnd 4x5. Dwight McCartha; Lexington; 803-429-6121

'15 MIXED GRASS HAY, JD net wrap, 4x5, \$30, outside kept; \$35. inside kept, del avail. Jim Ollis; Laurens; 864-444-4846

'15 COMBINE RUN WHEAT, \$6/bushel. Todd Hipp; Saluda; 803-924-0978

'15 CB, 4x5 rnd, net wrap, HQ, \$50ea; HQ/CQ, \$35ea; CQ, \$20-25ea; del may be avail. Henry Welch; Berkeley; 843-899-5414

'15 PREM CB, sq, fert & limed, no weeds, 75 or less, \$8; more than 75, \$7; delivery avail for fee. Will Anderson, Anderson, 864-617-5366

CHEYENNE II BERMUDA HAY, HQ, sq, fertilized per Clemson soil analysis recommend, \$6.50ea. Thomas Thain; Lexington; 803-920-7023

NEW CROP HAY, \$25-\$45ea; Wheat & oat straw, \$3.25ea. Charles Nichols; Saluda; 864-445-8350

WHEAT, 55gal drum, \$60; oats, 55gal, \$40. Jason Nichols; Saluda; 864-538-8163

'15 CB, HQ, \$50/roll; CQ, \$40/roll. David Chassereau; Bamberg; 803-267-4880

Hogs & Pigs

YORK/DUROC/HAMP MIX BOAR, proven breeder, 12+ pigs/litter, 3y/o, \$200obo. Jim Curley; Kershaw; 803-427-7706

HAMPSHIRE YORKSHIRE PIGLETS, \$60; BBQ hogs, Hampshire & Yorkshire, \$150. Beth Sexton; Chester; 803-242-9934

TAMWORTH PIGS, B-10/13, wormed, cut, vac, from reg stock, \$75ea. Mike Buck; Saluda; 864-445-7399

PIGLETS, Yorkshire Tamworth Cross, wormed, all wht, \$55; York guilts, almost breeding size, \$200; Tamworth guilts, \$100. Todd Hipp; Saluda; 803-924-0978

YORKSHIRE HAMPSHIRE CROSS PIGS, 14w/o, \$60ea; Hampshire shoats, 9m/o, \$175ea. Jason Murphy; Fairfield; 803-402-5877

14 BERKSHIRE PIGS, reg boar & gilts, good b'lines, B-9/3 & 9/5, \$125-175. Mike Stephens; Kershaw; 803-432-5878

Horses, Mules & Donkeys

Ads must include an current unaltered legible copy of a negative Coggins Test for Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) within the past 12 months. This applies to Equine 6 months or older. Equine under 6 months must state the date of birth. Coggins paperwork must be resubmitted with ad for each issue.

PASOFINO GELD, PFHA reg, dun, show or endurance, \$800; FL cracker mare, 4y/o, 60 day prof training, more, \$1000; more. Diane Maury; Aiken; 803-351-1589

APPALOOSA GELD, 17y/o, 15hh, good ground manners, stands for farrier, shown, walk trot, more, shots, wormed, \$700. Roxanne Dyer; Berkeley; 601-668-1023

REG MINI DONKEYS, spotted jenny, B-8/18, \$950; choc jack, B-9/12, \$1200; more. Mark Yonce; Spartanburg; 864-473-0253

Miscellaneous

MARTIN GOURDS, large, \$3; medium, \$2; small, \$1. Donald Clamp; Lexington; 803-359-6809

NEWMAN WOOD PLANER, \$2000. Dennis Ballentine; Newberry; 803-960-3991

HOOF TRIMMING CHAIR, for sheep/goat, \$25. Michael Iseman; Chesterfield; 843-672-5075

ELEC GENERATOR, Generac L3250, propane powered, new, \$500. Doug Holcombe; Greenville; 864-263-8301

55GAL PLASTIC BLUE OPEN TOP, w/lids, food grade, \$20ea; 30gal, \$15ea; 15gal, \$15ea; 55 metal, w/lids, \$20ea; more. Philip Poole; Union; 864-427-1589

MOORE WAGON, seats 8, EC, \$3500; harness, for draft horse, LN, \$300; 4 Abetta endurance saddles, \$50ea; more. Diane Maury; Abbeville; 803-351-1589

REDWORMS, \$27/1000; bed run, \$22/lb; LS swamp worms, \$32/1000; bed run, \$27/lb; call for ship charges, more. Terry Unger; Greenville; 864-299-1932

REAR TINES TILLER, 5hp chain dr, power/rv, needs carburetor work, \$150. Gerald Bradley; Greenville; 864-877-5786

SHOP WOOD HEATER, never used, \$200. Dan Coward; Dillon; 843-752-7195

10 METAL CORRAL PANELS, 10ftL, \$400. Charles Styles; Greenville; 864-294-0467

DR BUGGY, \$950; 2 seated surrey, \$1250, both w/rubber whls, EC. Harry Isbell; Anderson; 864-617-2627

WALK IN COOLER, runs good, LN, \$500obo. Ed Lowther; Jasper; 843-726-8373

12IN SADDLE, bridle, & blanket, all new, \$160; 45000 BTU hanging natural gas heater, LN, \$300. Rickie Evans; Chester; 803-209-2714

METAL ROOFING, 90pcs 10ft light blue, 22pcs 17ft4in ivy green, 46pcs 7½ft ash gray, \$1.65/lf. James Horne; Greenville; 864-243-3682

20 PRODUCE TABLES, 4x8, wooden, \$75ea. Randall Nichols; Spartanburg; 864-230-1554

CARPENTER BEES TRAPS, 5 traps, \$85, incl shipping. William Timmerman; Allendale; 803-640-6265

LUMBER, 1 & 2inx8-16ft, various widths, pine 45¢/bf; 2x6x16 Oak, \$1.50/bf; 5/4x10x12 Poplar, \$2/bf. Kent Jewell; Lancaster; 803-283-9129

DAISY P300, paddle drinking bowl, for animals, new, \$35. Billy Gallman; Newberry; 803-276-7171

HEAD GATE & SQUEEZE SHOOT, for goats & calves, \$150; Kerosene pump & tank, \$300; wash pots, \$40up. Whetsel Williams; Orangeburg; 803-536-3067

REAL FATLIGHTER KINLIN, \$3-4/bundle; large pcs, \$100-150/p-up load. Doris Brown, Kershaw; 803-438-2234

12 STOCK TANKS, Rubbermaid 300gal, \$50ea. Anne Jameson; Sumter; 803-622-4468

CAGE, treated wood, hdwe cloth exterior for pigeons, doves, 2 clean out trays on casters, 58inHx47inWx24inD, \$125. John Risley; Lexington; 803-791-8612

KING SERIES, 15in blk saddle & bridle, used 2x, tooled leather w/Texas Star conchos, \$475 cash. Pamela Prather; Aiken; 803-260-5361

1PH, for Int 140, \$500; JD suitcase weights, \$100ea. Jeffrey Gilmore; Chesterfield; 843-517-0315

HDWD LUMBER, 1in T, random W, 8-10ft L, red oak, maple, pecan, yel-poplar, \$2/bdft; pine 2x4/6/8, 45¢/bdft. Philip Epps; Newberry; 803-276-5747

WOOD SPLITTER, 20ton cyl, 5hp B/S motor, \$900firm. A Logan; Calhoun; 803-874-3793

RR CROSS TIES, 16ft, \$38; 15ft, \$36; 8ft quality ties, \$6; usable ties, \$3. Wayman Coleman; Abbeville; 864-379-1138

GALVANIZED STOCK TANK, 2x6x2 ft, 169 gal, no freeze valve, \$75. Carl Jordan; Lexington; 803-359-3822

LARGE HD CAGE, HD, 24in deep x 34inW x 53inT, on whls w/2 doors, feeder & waterer, \$225. L Gunter; Lexington; 803-532-7394

GREENHOUSE, 30x220, disassembled. no rust ribs, fans, shutters, rough tables, 600gal, \$3200obo. Steve Lanford; Greenville; 864-706-6752

BILLY COOK SADDLE, LN, lightly used, 16in seat, comes w/new girth, \$900. Georgia North; Lexington; 803-269-7407

PLOW POINTS, antique, \$1ea; Cole planter plates, small type, \$30ea; 2 chain binders, new, \$20ea. George Schwab; York; 803-493-8021

LRG METAL FLAT BELT PULLEY, 5ftT, \$250; 2 metal belt pulleys, \$150ea; farm platform scales, on whls, \$200. C Woodfin; Spartanburg; 864-316-4717

HOBART MEAT GRINDER, GC, \$600. Harley Neelands; York; 803-684-3672

CEDAR LUMBER, \$1.10/bf; rnd cedar post, \$3 & 4ea; holly & red oak, \$2/bf; walnut, \$3/bf; cedar mulch, \$30/yd. Andy Morris; Newberry; 803-276-2670

PVC PIPE, 11ftx10ft, new, \$35. Billy Eddins; Chesterfield; 843-623-2427

BEE EQUIPMENT, Dadant, Model M00628, 70gal, multipurpose honey tank, \$1500. Bob Barbary; Union; 864-215-3215

OAK FIREWOOD, del, stacked, cut to size, full size p/u, Columbia, Irmo, Chapin areas, \$125. Ronald Wright; Richland; 803-606-1666

CEDAR POSTS, 6ft 6in L, \$6ea. Charles Nichols; Saluda; 864-445-8350

2 70GAL FERT TANKS, w/brackets, \$1100both; 4 tires, 18.4 38, tubes, 30% wear left, \$900all. James Linder; Colleton; 843-908-3193

OAK FIREWOOD, cord split & delivered, \$125; other sizes avail. Drake Kinley; Anderson; 864-353-9628

2 TRACTOR TIRES, 10.00x16-8ply, LN, \$125ea, cash. Richard Martin; Greenville; 864-243-4974

25GAL WASHPOT, straight side, w/ft \$ lid, EC, \$400; blacksmith drill press, hand crank, EC, \$200; more. Robert Yonce; Aiken; 803-685-7240

RND CEDAR POSTS, cut to var sizes, 4-10in dia, 6-12ftL, \$6-\$12ea, depend on size, also cut 4x4. Douglass Britt; McCormick; 864-391-3334

CHIPPER/LEAF SHREDDER, Power horse, 10hrs, \$400. Berry Creamer; Anderson; 864-314-4245

100LB GAS BOTTLE, \$30; 16 & 18 in tires, \$10ea. William Claxton; Colleton; 843-909-4285

INCUBATOR, Forma Scientific dual chamber, model #3326, GC, needs cleaning, \$200. Janet Dillon; Oconee; 864-933-1622

Plants & Flowers

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CONFEDERATE ROSES, wht dogwoods, Forsythia, Gardenias, Camellias, Angel Trumpets, azaleas, more, \$10up. Cornelius Clark; Berkeley; 843-761-2343

3GAL LEYLAND CYPRESS, \$4.50; Jap Maples, \$8-20; Magnolias, China Fir, Kwanson Cherry, \$5-15; more. Hazel Bridges; Greenville; 864-879-3384

LIRIOPE MONKEY GRASS, Hosta, 4in pot, \$2.50ea; Iris, 4in pot, \$3.50ea; Gardenia, 1gal, \$6ea. Woody Ellenburg; Pickens; 864-855-2565

MEXICAN PETUNIAS, purple, pink and white, \$3ea; Alaskan Shasta daisy, \$2ea; more. Larry Johnson; Orangeburg; 803-664-4213

Poultry

BOBWHITE QUAIL, flight pen raised, \$3.75ea. Dennis Ballentine; Newberry; 803-960-3991

SILKIE CHICKS, \$3ea. John De Ambrogio; Kershaw; 803-729-4619

PEAFOWL, Golden Pheasants, Silver Pheasants, Mallards, Call ducks, Guineas, Cochon Bantams, more, \$10up. Steve Humphrey; Lee; 803-459-4960

PB OE BANTAMS, \$20ea; \$50/trio; PB games, \$25up; guineas, \$5-15; turkeys, \$30-40. Philip Poole; Union; 864-427-1589

PEACOCKS, Indian Blue & Blk Shoulder, grown prs, \$250; yng peacocks, \$75ea. Jerry Welch; Florence; 843-992-3478

HOMING PIGEONS, high quality, wht Belgian Delbar, yel Trenton, Afr Blk Eagle & Saddleback. \$30-75/pr. Glenn Briggs; Calhoun; 803-707-5661

3 PEACOCKS, 2M, 1F, \$75ea; 10 guineas, \$12ea or \$100 for all. Mack Lowther; Jasper; 843-368-8917

BOBWHITE QUAIL, flight conditioned, \$3.50ea. John Reed; Sumter; 803-464-5757

WHT KING PIGEONS, \$100/dz. Leslie Newcomb; Lee; 803-432-2839

BOBWHITE QUAIL, flight & weather conditioned, \$3.75ea. Wayne Green; Clarendon; 843-373-2150

CALL DUCKS, Grey & Snowy, \$40/pr; Golden Sebright Chickens, \$35/trio. Kent Jewell; Lancaster; 803-283-9129

300 GSL & RSL PULLETS, start to lay 1/16, \$8.50ea. Mac McClendon; Colleton; 843-835-5050

MALLARD DUCKS, '14 & '15 hatch, drakes, \$10ea; hens, \$25ea. Lowell Hamilton; Chester; 803-581-0937

WHT PEACOCK BREEDER PR, mature, \$400; Pheasant, yellow golden hen, \$20 or trade. Kellie Burnup; Dorchester; 843-514-7553

PEACOCKS, yng, M/F, \$35ea; 1M/2F blk Shoulders, \$150 for all 3; 3 pure Indigo roosters, \$85ea. Harvey Ammons; Chester; 803-899-0268

TOULOUSE GEESE PR, \$40; blk rooster, \$5; Pekin duck drake, \$10. Heather Ford; York; 803-548-0572

GUINEAS, \$10ea; Wyandotte chickens, \$35/trio; bantams, \$6ea. Elgava Jones; Greenville; 864-836-3581

POWDER BLUE GUINEAS, \$10ea. Vivian Hickman; Florence; 843-389-7372

GOLD AMHERST, \$50pr & up; guineas & Muscovys, \$6; fantail pigeons, \$20; frill backs, \$25; doves, \$15/pr. Lloyd Gerhart; Kershaw; 803-425-8796

GREEN PEACOCK PR, 2y/o, \$250; Bianchi pheasants, \$75/pr; reeves pheasant, M, \$45. H Austin; Orangeburg; 803-308-1203

SILKY CHICKS, all colors, \$10up, depending on age, Champion stock. Linda Sinclair; Lexington; 803-360-5597

PIGEONS, wht homers, blue bar homers, Birmingham rollers, all colors, \$5up. Eddie Davis; Union; 864-427-9656

ROLLER PIGEONS, \$8ea; fantail pigeons, \$20ea; owl pigeons, \$20ea. William Claxton; Colleton; 843-909-4285

30 BREEDER PIGEONS, wht, \$12.50ea. Jerry Bonnoitt; Florence; 843-621-4895

POLISH CHICKENS, wht, buff laced, golden, silver, wht crested blk, \$7-10ea; big laying hens, more, \$9ea; more. Joe Culbertson; Greenwood; 864-229-5254

Rabbits

MEAT TYPE, fryars, \$8ea; breeders, \$20ea. Diane Maury; Abbeville; 803-351-1589

Sales

CATHCART AUCTION, small animal sale 2nd/4th Sat ea mon, 10am, poultry, animal related & farm equip, 140 Buffalo Creek Ranch Rd. Carol Carhart; Union; 864-427-9202

LIVESTOCK/SMALL ANIMAL AUCTION, 1st & 3rd Fri of mon, check in 3pm, Sale at 7pm, www.Dixiestockyard.com. Phil Grant; Chester; 803-329-3684

H & S, 1/9 & 1/23, sale begins at 10 am. Hallman Sease; Abbeville; 803-793-7647

SPRINGFIELD STOCKYARD, 1st & 3rd Sat @ 1pm, hogs, horses, cattle, sheep, goats, poultry, small animals. Nathan Croft; Orangeburg; 803-258-3512

CLAXTON'S AUCTION, ea Sat at 11am, cow, goat, sheep, poultry, hogs, & small animals; Special Sale 1-17, 1pm. William Claxton; Colleton; 843-909-4285

Seed

Seed Ads must be accompanied by a copy of a current Seed Lab Test.

ABRUZZI RYE, G-88%, \$20/bag. David Chassereau; Bamberg; 803-267-4880

Wanted - Farm Equipment

CATTLE TRL, 16 or 14ft factory built, BP, dual axle, lights, elec brakes, swing out gates, center gate. John Gossett; York; 803-222-7786

FRT END LDR, to fit 574 Intl tractor, or one that can be repaired w/mounting brackets. Frank Beachum; Greenwood; 864-323-8115

850 CASE DOZER, hydraulic ripper set. Ken Hicks; Anderson; 864-940-4000

PLANTERS & FERT HOPPERS, for FA A or AC G. Robert Yonce; Aiken; 803-685-7240

CORN HEADER, for MF 550, in GC. George Counts; Newberry; 803-924-2303

Wanted - Hay

FREE FESCUE, rye, wheat, oat straw or mixed hay, mold free, feed & wood shavings, to help rescued horses, will p-up. Trecia Brown; York; 803-230-6778

Wanted - Livestock

RABBITS, Dutch & mini Rex, any mini rabbits, reasonably priced. Ronnie Turner; Union; 864-427-9360

YNG F CALF, preferred pure, beef calf & to bottle feed. Stuart Cato; Chesterfield; 843-680-3000

FREE UNWANTED CHICKENS, goats, ducks, turkeys, etc, will p-up. Mozelle Jones; Richland; 803-403-4292

FREE LARGE PONY, or small horse, for light riding, must be calm, no buck, kick, rear, will p-up. Trecia Brown; York; 803-230-6778

2 FREE NUBIAN GOATS, M&F. Becky Taylor; Saluda; 803-309-8257

UNWANTED LIVESTOCK, goats, cattle, chickens, emus, peacock, turkeys, pigs, sheep, donkeys, more, will p-up. Joe Calwise; Laurens; 864-998-3405

INDIAN RUNNER DRAKE. David Rainey; Lexington; 803-359-9748

FREE OR REASONABLE PRICED, poultry, hogs, sheep, goats, or small animals, will pick up. William Claxton; Colleton; 843-909-4285

BEEF CATTLE, cows, calves, pairs, bulls, whole herds. Brian Gibert; Greenwood; 864-980-6408

HOLSTEIN HEIFERS, or cows, Jersey or cross bred, any age or size, will buy herds. Kenneth Satterfield; Laurens; 864-304-3172

GUINEAS, ducks, geese, turkeys, peafowl, pigeons, chickens of all kinds. Joe Culbertson; Greenwood; 864-229-5254

Wanted - Miscellaneous

SMALL GRAIN AUGER, PTO driven preferred; also want 23.1 / 30 tractor tire. Clint Moore; Greenville; 864-617-7496

PECANS, will buy any quantity. A Horne; Horry; 843-756-0104

PUPLWOOD SAW TIMBER, hdwd, pine, all types of thinning or clear cut, pay top prices, upstate counties. Tim Morgan; Greenville; 864-420-0251

FREE RND PEN PANELS, stall mats, gates, concrete mix, 2x4, 2x6 wood, posts, more, to help rescued horses, will p-up. Trecia Brown; York; 803-230-6778

BLACKSMITH ANVIL, 100lb or larger, cast iron dinner bell, hand crank corn sheller. L Gunter; Lexington; 803-532-7394

PINE SAWTIMBER, pine pulpwood & hdwd, we cut sm or lrg tracts, 8A or more. H Yonce; Edgefield; 803-275-2091

BLACKSMITH ANVILS, wash pots, farm/brass bells, yokes, cradle, clappers, etc, bell parts. R Long; Newberry; 803-924-9039

UNLOADING AUGER, for leg feed bin, w/or w/out motor; or section of 4in auger, at least 10ftL. Justin Howe; Newberry; 803-944-1065

Upcoming Events**January**

1/7-2/4/16 SIRE SEMINARS, 6:30-8:30pm, Clemson Ext Ofc, diff topics on bulls, \$85 for 5mtgs or \$20/mtg. Amy Mallette; Cherokee; 864-489-3141

All equine must be accompanied by written proof of an approved negative test within the last 12 months for EIA when entering any public assembly of horses. These public assemblies include, but are not limited to shows, fairs, organized trail rides, rodeos, and other exhibitions as well as organized sales. Section 47-13-1315 and 1350 and 1370, SC Code of Laws. Note: Clemson University's Livestock-Poultry Health Division requires the following: All public equine auction/sales must be permitted by Clemson University Livestock-Poultry Health and be in compliance with SC Law Section 47-11-20 and SC Regulation 27-1016-C. Contact CULPH at 803-788-2260 Ext. 231 for information.

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Blanche Weathers' Christmas Recipes**Sweet Potato Casserole**

3 cups cooked South Carolina grown sweet potatoes	1 egg beaten	2 Tablespoons flour
1 teaspoon vanilla	1 cup sugar	1 stick melted butter
	½ cup milk	1 teaspoon cinnamon

Mix and bake in 9x13" casserole for 40 minutes 350 degrees

Top with:

1 cup brown sugar
1 cup Certified South Carolina Grown pecans, chopped
½ stick melted butter

Spread over hot potatoes and bake an additional 10 minutes.

Amaretto Christmas Pudding

12 slices white bread, crust removed	9 egg yolks	5 ounces whole milk
4 ounces unsalted butter softened	4 ounces Amaretto	15 ounces heavy cream
	5 ounces castor (fine) sugar	3 ounces slivered almonds
	1 vanilla bean	1 teaspoon powdered sugar

Preheat oven 350 degrees and spray a 2 quart baking dish. In a mixing bowl wish together eggs and sugar. Add Amoretto.

Split the vanilla bean and add to the milk and cream in a sauce pan. Bring to a simmer and pour over egg mixture stirring constantly. Scrape vanilla bean and discard hull.

Cut slices of bread in triangles, generously butter each slice and arrange in baking dish. Pour custard over the bread making sure all bread is soaked and allow to sit for 20 minutes. Top with almonds.

Place baking dish in a pan of hot water and put it in the preheated oven. Bake 30 minutes until pudding is set like creme brûlée. Allow it to cool slightly and dust with powdered sugar. Serve warm with whipped cream and fresh berries.

Fool Proof Fudge

By Carla Lindler, SCDA Director of Administration

3 cups semi-sweet chocolate chips	½ to 1 cup chopped nuts (optional)
1 (14 oz) can sweetened condensed milk	1 ½ teaspoons vanilla extract
Dash of salt	

Line an 8 or 9 inch square pan with foil or waxed paper, extending the paper over the edges of the pan.

Melt chocolate chips with sweetened condensed milk and salt in a heavy saucepan over low heat. (Or microwave in a 1-quart glass container, slowly, until chips are melted.) Remove from heat. Stir in nuts (if desired) and vanilla. Spread evenly in prepared pan.

Chill 2 hours or until firm. Remove from pan by lifting edges of foil. Carefully peel foil from the bottom of the fudge before cutting to ensure all small pieces of fudge are removed. Store in an airtight container.

This is a very versatile recipe. Any type of nuts can be used. Dark chocolate chips can be used rather than semi-sweet, or a combination of both. I've also used the lower fat version of sweetened condensed milk.

Collard Greens

By Cindy Thompson, SCDA Administrative Coordinator

Washed, torn and chopped collard greens	2 tablespoons cider vinegar
½ to ¾ cup bacon or ham (or add as much as you would like)	(optional or add to taste)
Smoked turkey wing is also an option	Salt or seasoned salt to taste
½ cup diced onion (optional)	Ground red pepper to taste
1 tablespoon white / brown sugar (or add to taste)	½ teaspoon garlic (optional)
	Some recipes call for 3 cups chicken broth (optional)

Cook bacon or ham over medium-high heat in large stock pot until crisp. Remove bacon from pot, reserving drippings. Crumble bacon or dice ham; then return to pot along with other seasonings. You may wish to gradually add collards before liquid to stir around in pot before adding chicken broth and/or water. Add broth and/or water, enough to cover collards. Bring to a boil, cover, reduce heat, and simmer 1 1/2 to 3 hours, or until tender. Add seasonings to taste as you cook.

Food Drive for Harvest Hope

Through the generous support of Clemson and Carolina fans, friends and community members just like you, 197,054 meals were provided through the Certified South Carolina Palmetto Series Food Drive to benefit Harvest Hope Food Bank.

Gamecocks donated 6,304 pounds of food and received \$26,191.94 in monetary donations. That amounts to 135,804 total meals provided.

Tigers donated 8,028 pounds of food and received \$11,015 in monetary donations. Their final total was 61,250 meals provided.

The drive brought the Palmetto Series score to 5-4, with Gamecocks leading. After the Nov. 28 football matchup, the score is now tied 5-5. For the latest scores and news, check out www.palmettoseries.com.

Concerned Farmers



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Hundreds of farmers gathered at the State House on Dec. 7 to support Farm Bureau President Harry Ott's plea to Gov. Nikki Haley to request federal financial assistance. Several local farmers discussed their personal situations as a result of last summer's devastating drought, followed by a catastrophic flood in October. Crop losses from the flood total nearly \$376 million.

2016 Chef Ambassadors Named

Four chefs from across the state will continue to showcase the culinary offerings of our state in the popular Chef Ambassador program. It is a joint venture between Gov. Nikki Haley, the S.C. Department of Agriculture and the S.C. Department of Parks, Recreation & Tourism. The announcement was made by Governor Haley on Dec. 8.

Teryi Youngblood of *Passerelle Bistro* in Greenville, Ramone Dickerson of *2 Fat 2 Fly & Wing City* in Columbia, Orchid Paulmeier of *One Hot Mama's* on Hilton Head Island, and Forrest Parker of *Old Village Post House* in Mount Pleasant were named 2016 South Carolina Chef Ambassadors.

"The unique and delicious dishes these talented individuals provide at their restaurants are a perfect sampling of the diverse culinary offerings found throughout South Carolina," said Governor Haley. "I'm thrilled and honored to call these chefs our 2016 South Carolina Chef Ambassadors."

The Chef Ambassador program recognizes chefs from the upcountry to the coast who embody the best of South Carolina's food scene, both in the quality of their provisions, as well as their dedication to using healthy, locally-grown ingredients.

"This initiative showcases South Carolina's wealth of agricultural resources," said South Carolina's Commissioner of Agriculture, Hugh Weathers. "These chefs, and many others, strive to consistently incorporate the state's vast produce offerings into their menus – which is wonderful to see and taste."

Throughout the year, the chef ambassadors will participate in a number of culinary and tourism specific events across the Southeast, hosting cooking demonstrations, conducting educational seminars and discussing the offerings found in the cities in which their establishments are based.

"Representing fantastic parts of our great state, this program allows these chefs to put a unique spotlight on not only their culinary talents, but the place in South Carolina in which they live, work and play," said Duane Parrish, executive director of the S.C. Department of Parks, Recreation & Tourism. "We encourage visitors and locals alike to make the trip and dine in each of these top-notch restaurants. You won't be disappointed!"



Now in its second year, the South Carolina Chef Ambassador program was an initiative Governor Haley enacted in June of 2014 after the concept was brought to her by Chef Brandon Velie, executive chef at Juniper in Ridge Spring. Chef Velie, a 2015 South Carolina Chef Ambassador, will serve as the advisor to the 2016 slate.

The 2016 SC Chef Ambassadors:

Chef Teryi Youngblood

Chef Teryi Youngblood was named Chef de Cuisine of *Passerelle Bistro* when the restaurant opened in June 2013. With a menu full of French-inspired dishes, using the purest and freshest ingredients, Chef Youngblood does not believe in complicated food. Believing cooking should speak for itself, and the food should taste like what it is, she implements this thinking into her menu daily.

Chef Ramone Dickerson

The stuffed chicken wings created by Chef Ramone Dickerson and his business partner, Corey Simmons, landed a reality TV show on the Oprah Winfrey Network last year called *Wingmen*. Dickerson owns *Wing City* restaurant and the *2 Fat to Fly* food truck, both in Columbia, where their unique approach to stuffing chicken wings with collard greens and rice, macaroni and cheese, jalapeno bacon and cheddar, has generated a flock of fans. They also appeared on the Steve Harvey Show earlier this year.

Chef Forrest Parker

From Opryland to the Lowcountry, South Carolina native Chef Forrest Parker joined the Hall Management Group team of acclaimed chefs in 2012. He leads the culinary team at the *Old Village Post House Inn*. Charleston-educated and trained, Parker includes Southern ingredients and elements in his cooking throughout his career.

Chef Orchid Paulmeier

Chef Paulmeier was a contestant in the seventh season of the hit show, *The Next Food Network Star*. She opened *One Hot Mama's* on Hilton Head Island in 2007. Blending time-tested Southern favorites like collards, cornbread and slow-cooked barbecue and ribs with her own homespun recipes, *One Hot Mama's* serves up "comfort food with a kick."

Nursery & Landscape Professionals Conference to Meet

Landscape contractors, greenhouse growers, nursery growers, and grounds maintenance professionals - mark your calendars for Jan. 21 - 23, 2016, the South Carolina Nursery and Landscape Association Conference at the Myrtle Beach Convention Center in Myrtle Beach.

The South Carolina Horticulture Industry Trade Show and Seminars provides industry professionals the opportunity to learn from 20 seminar speakers, earn ISA CEU's, SC, NC, & GA Pesticide Applicator Re-certification credits, NC Irrigation Contractors CEU, and NC Landscape Contractor CEUs, visit the 250+ booth trade show and be at the beach, all in the same trip.

Visit www.scnla.com for the show brochure and on line registration.

Highlights of the 2016 conference:

*Seminars by plant gurus Ted Stephens, Nurseries Caroliniana, and

Tony Avant, Plant Delights Nursery

* Trade Show with exhibitors of a vast array of plant material, equipment, supplies and services

* 20 educational seminars including Sustainable Landscape Design, Inspiring Plant Selections for Southern Gardens, Integrated Pest Management, Weed Control, Manage, Motivate & Prepare Your Team to Generate Winning Projects, and many more.

The trade show will be open on Fri., Jan. 22, from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. and on Sat., Jan. 23 from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Various seminars will be held each of the three days. There will be a golf tournament and a sporting clays tournament held on Thur., Jan. 21. All events are at the Myrtle Beach Convention Center located at the 2101 N. Oak Street in Myrtle Beach. For additional information call the SCNLA office at 803-743-4284 or www.scnla.com.

Young Poultry Farmer

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Adam's story is unique in that he is a first generation farmer. Modern technology and equipment were vital for his optimal productivity. His greatest investment went toward poultry houses that allow turkeys to walk, eat and drink freely.

"I never thought I could afford the land, but the turkey houses have helped. I couldn't afford to pay for the farm without them," he said.

Adam pointed out that a lot of farmers are aging, but new farmers are having a hard time taking over a farm or getting into the business because they can't afford mounting taxes. He recently received a property tax appraisal that was much higher than state law prescribes for ag use – and far exceeded his budget for the year.

At the heart of this issue is determining whether the county has the right to (a) assess farm structures at fair market value separately from the property upon which they sit, or whether (b) the value of the structures is already included in the rate prescribed for agricultural real property. The tax assessor can select a different tax rate for buildings based on factors like materials, design or the age of the structure.

The escalated assessment on Adam's poultry farm was an unexpected blow that could bring their operation to a halt. As is all too often the case, decision makers who aren't familiar with agriculture may inadvertently place additional hardship on a family farm with the stroke of a pen.

"People are deciding your life," Adam's mother Ann said, adding that outsiders are changing Adam and Jessica's life by interpreting laws inconsistently. His father said that the couple is not asking for a free ride. "They're just asking for what is fair."

With the culmination of recent weather events, agricultural communities are asking: How do we help existing farmers stay above water, and how do we support new farmers who are eager to dive into the ag industry?



Keith's poultry houses were constructed to allow turkeys to eat, drink and move around freely for optimum well-being.

Adam offered some suggestions that could help save struggling farmers. First, fair and consistent tax treatment is necessary for farm planning. New technology and innovation should be encouraged, but higher taxes are a deterrent, he said.

"When farmers are not able to sustain operations due to taxes and regulations, they get out of the business. And fewer farms means less produce, more food miles, greater logistical challenges, a larger carbon footprint – which all lead to higher prices for consumers."

Without proper attention to issues like taxes, regulations and insurance, South Carolina will continue to lose farmland necessary to support the state's largest industry-- agribusiness.

Innovation and Technology to Be Highlighted at AgriBiz Expo in January

Today's agriculture is one of the most innovative industries in the world. The SC AgriBiz & Farm Expo next month will again be focusing on innovation and technology.

"We know it has been an extremely challenging year for agriculture," said Jody Martin, executive director of the Expo. "The key to succeeding in the future is how we use the tools we have to improve our farming efficiency; some may say how to do more with less."

"Precision ag tools help farmers be more efficient, which is necessary considering the costs and risks associated with production agriculture," Martin continued. He shared some of the innovations farmers will see at the Expo.

Optimization clinics will show the technology, innovation and uses of precision tools. On Wednesday, Jan. 13, two clinics will be held from 2 to 3 p.m. These include Sprayer Optimization and Hay Equipment Optimization.

Each participating exhibitor will have a specialist to conduct a 30-minute clinic about his equipment, then that same clinic will be repeated. This will allow interested growers to attend two different brand clinics. The clinics will be located on the outside around the equipment areas.

Then on Thursday, Jan. 14, Precision Ag Equipment and Tools Optimization clinics will start at 2 p.m. These clinics will involve a variety of companies with precision ag equipment, tools and processes.

The educational sessions will also feature some special innovations. Steven Valencsin, founder and CEO of GROWERS, will be speaking on "Data-Driven Farming: Making Your Farm Data Work for You."

Steven graduated from North Carolina State University's Agriculture Institute with degrees in crop production and agricultural business management. He was president of Southern Soil & Water Inc., a private soil-testing laboratory, before combining his passions for soil and farming by founding GROWERS in 2011. In addition to having spent time in Nicaragua, working with local farmers to improve soil conditions and increase food production, Steven farms several hundred acres of corn, wheat and soybeans in Guilford County, N.C.

He will share ways to use on-farm data more effectively, thus improving the farm's bottom line. This outstanding educational session will begin at 10:30 a.m. Thursday.

Other sessions include a cattle clinic, CAMM certification, Small Farmer Symposium, the Taste of SC, SC AgriBiz Youth Day, the Commissioner's Breakfast, SC Food Truck Rodeo and much more.

The Expo has more than 130 exhibitors, highlighting new technology and specialty products. Farmers will have the opportunity to visit with each of them on a one-on-one basis to find ways to help improve efficiency on the farm.

"We trust you will come connect with folks from all aspects of the industry at the Expo. Our staff and partners have worked tireless hours to bring you one of the best agricultural expos ever," Martin said. "Don't miss it! We will see you at the SC AgriBiz & Farm Expo on Jan. 13 and 14 at the Florence Civic Center."

For more details and registration information visit www.SCAgriBizExpo.com.



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For more information, contact SCDA Agritourism Director Jackie Moore at jmoore@scca.sc.gov.

Christmases Past and Future

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We will come home to a festive supper that features a few of our favorite Certified SC Grown products. There will be Chicken Bombs made with jalapeños that I grew myself, Cousin Angie's Sweet Potato Casserole and a new kale salad that our daughter-in-law, Elizabeth, will make. For dessert we will have a special bread pudding that I found on Pinterest.

Our Christmas prayer is that we all stay focused on the love that God has for all of us. How awesome it is that He would give His Son to save us. May your Christmas be filled with the love of Jesus Christ. Merry Christmas from our family to yours! Blanche, Hugh, Gill, Elizabeth, Edward, Julius and Clara.